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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : James C. Liao
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RESPONSE TO ACTION DATED NOVEMBER 6, 2002

In reply to the action dated November 6, 2002, please amend the application as indicated on the following pages. Applicant asks that all claims be allowed in view of the amendment to the claims and remarks contained on the following sheets, a total of 12 pages.

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Also enclosed are:

- a Declaration by Dr. James Liao;
- a Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement and PTO-1449 form;
- a \$180.00 check for the Information Disclosure Statement fee;
- a Petition for Two-Month Extension of time; and
- a \$205 check for the Petition for Extension of Time fee.

No fee is believed due. If, however, there are any charges or credits, please apply them to Deposit Account No. 06-1050, referencing attorney docket number 06497-013001.

Respectfully submitted,

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